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Reference: **Request for Continuing Examination** (37 CFR 1.114)
via a Petition Claiming Unintentional Delay (37 CFR 1.137(b))
in Responding to a Final Office Action
on Patent Application 09/655792 by Bernard H. Browne, Jr.

To: Commissioner of Patents

We hereby submit a **Request for Continuing Examination** (RCE) per 37 CFR 1.114 to consider a petition under 37 CFR 1.137 (b) for the revival of Patent Application 09/655792 by Bernard H. Browne, Jr. because of an unintentional delay. A RCE was one of the mechanisms suggested for revival of this patent in the last communication mailed by USPTO Patent Attorney Cliff Congo on May 8, 2003. All previous communications on this patent are listed in the Information Disclosure Statement (Attachment 1).

Sincerely,


Bernard H. Browne, Jr. - Inventor

Attachments:

1. Information Disclosure Statement.
2. Check for small entity fee of \$375.00 per 37 CFR 1.17 (e) for the RCE
3. Petition for revival under 37 CFR 1.137(b) including check for \$650.00

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